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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED
YIQING ZHOU ET AL. : TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE
Serial No. 08/216,440 : FEE FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT
Filed March 23, 1994 : ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975.
ANTIMALARIAL COMPOSITIONS : Group Art Unit 1205
: Examiner K. Jordan

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Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated September 16, 1996 (a petition for a two month extension of time and the requisite fee therefor accompanies herewith), further and favorable reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.

Initially, Applicants wish to express their appreciation to the Examiner for the granting of a personal interview concerning this application on February 7, 1997. During that interview, the issues